The Pittsburg

# PISTOL FIGHT ON B. & O. TRAIN

Trouble Began at Newark, Delaware, and Ended at Wilmington

Conductor Wellman of Philadelphia Pul'man Porter Williams of Jersey City, and J. H. Bethea of South Carolina, who Started the Fight while Drunk or Insane, Lost their Lives-Tragedy Result of Words Between South Carolinian and the Colored Porter.

O. E. Wellman, aged 40 years, of Philadelphia, conductor of the train; Samuel Williams, colored, aged 50 years, Pullman porter, whose home is said to have been in Jersey City J. H. Bethen, aged 40 years, of Dillon, S. C.

John O. Wiley, aged 40 years, a park guard of Wilmington, Del., shot in the hand and leg; Matthew Haley, a cit-izen of Wilmington, shot in the leg. Others were grazed by flying bullets.

Result of Altercation with Porter. The triple tragedy was the result of an altercation between Bethea, who was a passenger, and Williams, the porter in the Pullman parlor car Mer-

porter in the Pullman parlor car Mercury.

The car was bound from Washington to Jersey City.

Bethea, who had been drinking heavily, shot the porter through the heart, killing him instantly. When Conductor Wellman saw the porter fall and ran to the scene to remonstrate with the passenger who still held the smoking revolver in his hand, Bethea fired a second shot lato the colored man's body. Then without a word Bethea shot Wellman through the heart.

The conductor fell dead in his tracks. When the desperado fired the conductor three up his right arm to protect himself. The bullet struck his arm and continuing, plowed through his continuing, plowed through his and lodged in his heart,

Police Met Train at Wilmington. Before the passengers could interfere Bethea barricaded himself in the toilet room of the Pullman car and threatened to kill the first person who approached. Meanwhile the train reached Wilmington. When it came into the station a hurry call was sent to the police station. A squad of policemen, headed by Police Captains Kane and Evans and reinforced by park guards and a posse of citizen and trainmen, ran to the scene.

Bethea Opened Fire With Automatic

an express office on the train floor just in time to escape several bullets. Bethea is believed to have had at least one hundred rounds of ammunition, for he succeeded in holding the men on the road.

# employ of the Baltimore and Ohio Raliroad company for nearty twenty-five years and had been a conductor fifteen years. Superintendent Voorhees said that Wellman was one of the most reliable men on the road. ANACONDA COPPER MINING CO

The desperado fired a number of shots at the firemen, but they were not injured. Subsequently Bethea, drenched with water, staggered to the platform and the police once more called upon him to surrender. His reply was several shots in quick succession from his revolver.

Shot Dead by Police Captain.

Said to Have Been Drinking.

Five Years.

From 1,200,000 Shares at \$25 Each to 6,000,000 Shares Same Value. 000 shares having a par value of \$25 each, to six million shares of the same

each, to six million shares of the same par value.

The board of directors of the company was authorized and directed to offer to the following named companies the following respective amounts of the capital stock of the Anaconda Copper Mining company in exchange for all of the properties and assets of every kind owned or possessed by such corporations:

every kind owned or possessed by such corporations:
To the Boston and Montana Con-solidated Copper and Silver Mining company, 1,200,000 shares.
Red Metal Mining company, 500,000 Washoe Copper company, 380,000 shares.

Butte and Boston Consolidated Min-ing company 300,000 shares, Big Blackfoot Lumber company, 300,000 shares, Trenton Mining and Development company, 120,000. Dlamond Coal and Coke company, 100,000.

Alice Gold and Silver Mining com-pany 30,000.

The foregoing, if carried out and accepted by the defendant companies interested will make a total issue of 4,200,000 shares out of a total author-ized capital of six million shares of the company.

## GENERAL ESTRADA BOASTFUL. Can Hold the Atlantic Coast Against 10,000 Madriz Troops.

New York, March 25.—A wireless despatch received here tonight from Operator Barager, who has been handling press despatches at Bluefields, Nicaragua, and who is now on board the steamer Antilles, says that Gen. Juan Estrada has recently received a large supply of ammunition, and has declared that he can hold the Atlantic coast against ten thousand Madriz troops should they attempt to take Bluefields and the coast towns.

At present, the despatch says, General Estrada has about 3,000 troops, 1600 of whom are near Acoyapa.

Aged Night Watchman Burned to

New York March 23.—John O'Connell, an aged night watchman at the factory building of the New York Aspestos building at Hunters Point, L. I., is believed to have been tourned to death tonight in a fire which destroyed the plant. Three firemen were injured in fighting the flames which spread rapidly through the four-story brick building. The loss is about \$45,000.

Steamship Arrivals.

At Liverpool, March 27:: Cymric, from New York: 23, Campania, from New York.

At Alexandria, March 27:: Carmania, from New York.

At Marsellies, March 28: Madonna, from New York.

## Cabled Paragraphs.

Fort de France, Martinique, March 23.—Five buildings connected with the Soudan sugar factory were set on fire and damaged last night. The incendiarism is an outgrowth of the bitterness engendered by the recent strike of suparrane cutters. urarcane cutters.

Breslau, Prussia, March 23.—Twenty bandits who had been plundering on the Russian frontier recently, attacked a country house on the estate of Roman-Ir-Wiza, killed the owner, his sister, and two men servants during hand to hand fighting, and then sacked the place.

Rotterdam, March 23.—The British steamship St. Nicholas, from Savannah, reports having passed on March 12, in latitude 41 north, longitude 46 west, the American schooner Martha S. Bement, dismasted and with her decks awash. The derelict is in the path of transatlantic steamships, and is a dangerous obstruction to navigation.

Paris, March 23.—The civil court today dismissed the suit brought by M.
Bernard, a Belglan tutor, against
Henry Clews, Jr., of New York, to
recover \$20,000 damages. Clews and
Bernard collaborated in the translation of French theatrical and other
works, and the enterprise did not prove
a paying venture and the partnership
was dissolved by Mr. Clews. Bernard
then brought suit on the ground that
Mr. Clews broke a contract to pay him
permanently \$60 a month and that his
entering into such contract caused him
to lose his position as tutor in various families. The suit was dismissed,
however, and Bernard was condemned
to pay the costs.

### TAWNEY SLATE SELECTED BY THE REPUBLICANS

Six Members of House Rules Committee Chosen-Speaker Voted for the Tawney Slate.

Washington, March 23.—With only the friendliest of rivalry, but with a keen' interest the republican caucus tonight selected the six members of the rules committee apportioned to the republican majority of the house. The following, all members of the "regular" wing of the party, were chosen:

Walter I. Smith of Iowa, 168 votes.

John Dalzell of Pennsylvania, 146 votes.

George P. Lawrence of Massachusetts, 126 votes. J. Sloat Fassett of New York, 113

Shot Dead by Police Captain.

Several of the policemen had armed themselves with shotguns and just as Bethea fired the last shot Police Captain Evans fired a load of shot into his face. Notwithstanding this wound he kept on blazing away. Patrolman Boughman opened fire with a revolver and a bullet struck Bethea in the right arm. The desperate man tried to fire again, but Sergeant Kelleher opened fire and also managed to spring upon Bethea. When the police took hold of him he fell dead in the arms of a patrolman.

J. Sloat Fassett of New York, 113 votes.
Sylvester C. Smith of California, 136 votes.
Henry S. Boutell of Illinois, 108 votes.
Two ballots were taken, the four first named receiving a a majority of the votes cast on the first ballot, and the two last named being chosen on the second ballot.
The six members named represent a state prepared by Representative Tawney of Minnesota during the day, after numerous conferences with both regulars and "insurgents."
The vote in the caucus tonight was taken by written ballot, each member writing the names of six men for whom he desired to vote. Nineteen men were placed in nomination, and a large number besides these received complimentary votes. Representative Gardner of Massachusetts received 33 votes, the highest number cast for any "insurgent."

Speaker Cannon voted for the Tawn-A tragic incident of the affair was that when Williams, the porter, was shot he fell into a seat in the car. All through the battle the dead porter sat with the appearance of one looking from the window. Bethea was well dressed. While it was believed by some of the passengers who fled when the train reached Wilmington that he was insane, other passengers said that he appeared to be sane, except that he had been drink-Conductor Had Been on Road Twenty-

Philadelphia, March 28.—Conductor O. E. Welkman, who was shot and killed by J. H. Bethea today on a Baitimore and Ohio train near Wilmington, lived with his wife and four children in this city. He had been in the employ of the Baktimore and Ohio

OLD TIME TAMMANY LEADER.

New York, March 23.—Daniel E. Finn (Battery Dan), Tammany leader and city magistrate, died this afternoon at his home, No. 569 Broome street. Death was due to general complications. He had been ill for many weks, and had not been on the bench for several months.

### READY FOR FUTURE MOBS. Riot Guns for County Jail-Chains and

of several others by the sheriff's depu-

# Hotel Thief.

Berne, March 23.—The police here have arrested a hotel thief, who gives his name as John Tauer of New York. Tauer, who is only 19 years of age, has confessed to numerous robberies at Berne, Zurich and Lazerne. A large quantity of stolen valuables has been recovered.

Congress Yesterday.

Washington, March 23.—The house today passed a bill providing a fine of not more than \$1,000 or imprisonment for not more than two years in the case of any proprietor of a place of amusement in the District of Columbia, or the territories, who refuse admission to a soldier or sallor of the United States because of his uniform. In the senate the bill providing for a codification of the laws relating to the judiclary was under consideration during almost the entire session.

Both houses will be in session to-morrow.

Morse Petition League Branch Offices Morse Petition League Branch Offices.

New York, March 23.—At the headquarters of the Morse Petition league
in New York it was announced today
that on or before April 15 the league
will open branch offices in Newark,
Jersey City, Philadelphia, Boston,
Buffalo, Syracuse, Detroit, Cincinnati,
Dayton and Washington. The object
of the league is to obtain by May first
one hundred thousand signatures to a
petition addressed to President Taft,
asking for executive clemency for
Charles W. Morse, the former banker,
now serving a fifteen year sentence at

# Dr. Cook Sick, **Bribery Cases**

COUNCILMANIC GRAFT EVIDENCE LETTER RECEIVED BY PERSONAL ABOUT ALL IN.

### **NINE MORE CONFESSIONS**

Givers-Disorderly Traffic to Be Next Taken Up.

Pittsburg, Pa. March 23.—Nine more nen, conscience stricken over taking noney for their votes, appeared before fudge R. S. Frazer today and after elling all they knew about the coun-cilmanic graft conspiracy, had sen-ence postponed.

One Confessor Wept Like a Child. Besides these nine, the former presi Besides these nine, the former president of the common council, William Rand, one of the ringleaders, according to those who confessed, has also made a statement which is in the hands of the district attorney. J. C. Wasson, who is in the penitentiary, made his confession to the grand jury today. He wept like a child during his recital, while John F. Klein, the archeconfessor, tried to soothe him.

Immunity" Opportunity Has Passed "Immunity" Opportunity Has Passed.

With complete statements from
Brand, Wasson and Klein, who were
the principals in the conspiracy, according to their own statements, it is
said the district attorney is ready to
proceed against the bribe givers, and
while no names are given out, Wasson's statement is said to implicate
some prominent men. The opportunity
to voluntarily confess and receive postponed sentence or "immunity" has
passed for those that have not come
forward. Those that have been indicted will be brought to trial and the
first of these trials will start Monday.

Campaign Again Jury Fixing. Already a campaign against jury fixing has been begun by the district attorney. Today five men were dragaxing has been begun by the district attorney. Today five men were duagged from the court room by county detectives. It is said they were busy with bribery money/for jurors about the court house corridors. Each man was put through a severe examination and the arrest is predicted of a number of others known about the court house as jury fixers.

No indictments were handed down by the grand jury today though it has sufficent evidence for true bills against more than fifty. These will come along according to the assistant district attorney before the end of the week.

Disorderly Houses and Vice.

Now that the councilmanic graft evidence is about all in, the district attorney is about to take up the traffic in disorderly houses and vice in which councilmen have been implicated by the confessions.

Detectives have already furnished evidence against proprietors of 13 gambling houses and 21° disorderly resorts.

### NEW YORK LIVE POULTRY TRUST INDICTED.

The City Also Begins Crusade Against Short Weights.

New York, March 23 .- They indicted another "trust" in New York to-day; not a national trust, but the live poultry dealers of the city, who are charged by hhe grand jury with conspiracy in restraint of trade under the general business laws of the state. Three local associations of poultry dealers are named, chief of which is the New York Live Poultry Commission Merchants' Protective association, credited with the control of 90 per cent. of the live poultry trade of the greater city. The association was formed in 1906.

Nearly ninety defendants are nam-

In holding a peddler for trisi today, who was arrested for selling twelve ounces of grapes for a pound, the magistrate said: "Giving of short weights or measures is the meanest and most contemptible way to trick the public, especially the poorer people."

## FELL FIVE STORIES,

LANDED IN WET WASH. 13 Year Old Harlem Girl Was Scarcel

New York, March 23.—Mary Davis, a 13 year old schoolgirl, fell backwards from a fire escape five stories up in Harlem tonight and landed in a basketful of wet clothes in the back yard below. She was scarcely scratched.

As she struck the basket Mary narrowly missed Mrs. Peter Little, a janitress, who was taking clothes from the basket and hanging them on a nearby line. Mrs. Little fainted and so did Mary, who was found unconscious but unhurt in the basket.

## CONNECTICUT TROLLEYMEN Stick by Their Demands-Conference Teday.

New Haven, March 23.—Nothing was accomplished at today's meeting of the grievance committee of the trolleymen and the officials of the Connecticut company. The trolleymen refused to recede from their demands and the officials took the same stand in reference to the proposition already submitted by them to the men. Another confer-ence will be held tomorrow.

Senator Daniel Slightly Improved.

Daytona, Fla., March 23.—Bulletins issued from the bedside of United States Senator Daniel of Virginia, tonight, indicate a slight improvement in his condition since yesterday. The improvement is considerable compared with his condition on Monday. He now lies in a state described as between marked coma and heavy sluggishness.

# Without Funds

FRIEND OF EXPLORER.

### WHY COOK LEFT NEW YORK

After Proofs Required by the University of Copenhagen.

Bellingham, Wash., March 23.—Dr. Villiam H. Axtell, a personal friend of rederick A. Cook, received a letter oday from Mrs. Cook, dated Vajpadiso, Chile, in which she says the exterer is broken in health, without and and unable to continue his fight to establish his claim that he dicovered to pole. Dr. Axtell said today:

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Spent Money in Defending Himself.

"Mrs. Cook tells me in her letter that Cook made considerable money out of his trip when he first arrived in New York, but that he spent it defending himself against bitter attacks from his enemies before the Copenhagen decision was made public.

"Cook left New York to escape contumely, says Mrs. Cook, and to go before the board of inquiry at Copenhagen as his own representative. Then Mrs. Cook followed him, met him in England, and found him a nervous wreck and very ill.

"She writes that it was her fault that Cook id not appear publicly at the time he was unfavorably reported on. She says she took him to Holland, France, Italy and then to Spain, where they embarked for Buenos Ayres.

"From Buenos Ayres they went around Cape Horn to Chile. Cook is still very ill and will be in no condition to take up his fight for the honors which he still says should have been his."

Said to Be Due in New York Today. Dr. Axtell added that according to the letter the explorer and his family will arrive quietly in New York tomor-row and will settle down for a quiet

"Mrs. Cook says," he continued, "that her husband has no funds with which to go to the Arctic regions after the proofs required by the University of Copenhagen, and that if he had the necessary cash he knows of no one he could trust to do the work for him."

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Cook's Brother Doubtful.

New York, March 23.—William L.
Cook, a Brooklyn milk dealer and brother of Dr. Frederick A. Cook, said tonight that if the doctor was to arrive in New York tomorrow he was not aware of it. He added that he heard from the explorer recently—from where he declined to say—and expected another letter soon. Therefore, he did not place much faith in the report that his brother was so near New York.

Dr. Axtell of Bellingham might be

### LABOR LEADER ESCORTED OUT OF MAINE TOWN Citizens Believed His Presence Might Cause Trouble in Paper Mills.

Rumford Falls, Me., March 23 .- Defying the threats of the townsmen to "deport" him again, George J. Scheider, vice president of the International Brotherhood of Paper Makers, who returned to Rumford Falls today after having been escorted out of town yesterday by a committee of citizens who thought his presence might cause trouble at the mills of the International Paper company here, was still in town this evening refusing to budge. While the early evening passed without incident, rumors that a second "deportation" of the labor leader might take place before the night was over, filled the town. Mr. Schneider's first trip into exile yesterday was made in trip into exile yesterday was made in the wee hours of the morning. At that time he had as a companion in his forced departure John H. Malin, pres-ident of the International Brotherhood of Sulphite. Pulp and Paper Mill Workers, who did not return here to-day

With Mr. Schneider when he came back today was Philip Burns, a Lewiston attorney, but the latter did not remain tonight. Mr. Schneider decided to stay, though he did not hold any meeting, as he found it impossible to hire a hall.

hire a hall.

Before Mr. Burns went back to Lewiston, he said he had been informed that two resident deputy sheriffs were both out of town and would not be here tonight in the event of trouble.

Rumford Falls Me., March 23.—The evening passed with no disturbance. Accompanied by a constable as a guard Mr. Schneider pursued his work of reorganizing a local union among the paper mill employes, and later went to a room in Odd Fellows' block for the night, the single hotel having refused him accommodations.

New York, March 23.—Commander Robert E. Peary has announced his intention of turning over the entire proceeds of his lecture before the Philadelphia Geographical society on April 7 as a second contribution toward the south pole expedition fund, according to a statement tonight by the Civic Forum Lecture bureau, which is managing his lecture tour. The Philadelphia society will present its gold medal for the discovery of the north pole to the explorer at that time.

Commander Peary started the south pole fund by a contribution of \$10,000 received at the national testimonial in the Metropolitan opera house on Feb. 8th.

n Honor of French Soldiers Who Died in American Revolution.

Annapolis, Md., March 23.—The authorities of St. John's college today executed a deed to the state of Maryland for the site of a soldier's monument to be erected in honor of the French soldiers who lost their lives during the American revolution, while alding the colonies. Many of these are buried on the college campus.

Suffered Second Stroke of Paralysis.
Guilford, Conn., March 23.—Former Representative Edward Griswold, who suffered a shock of paralysis on Saturday last, was again attacked tonight and his condition is very critical. Mr. Griswold is a former past commander of the Connecticut department of the G. A. R.

## Condensed Telegrams

Empress Augusta Victoria and Prin-cess Victoria of Germany visited the American art exhibition in Berlin.

A Second Aviation Meeting on a scale larger than that of last year, will be held at Rheims July 3 and 4.

The English House of Lords has passed the third and last of Rosebery's resolutions for the reformation of that body.

Major Sylvester, Washington's chief of police, thinks it a good idea to let the women have hatplins as weapons of defense.

A Bill to Reimburse the 61,131 de-positors in the old Freedman's Saving and Trust company was favorably re-ported to the senate. Sworn Statements Were Filed by

President Gompers of the Federation of Labor to substantiate his charges against the United States Steel corpo-Nine Japanese Seal Poachers, who

have completed sentences of imprison-ment in Alaska, were prisoners on the steamer Victoria for eSattle. They will be departed to Japan. it is Reported from Bluefields, that 12 men in the guise of nurses, were arrested in connection with a plot to assassinate General Estrada, leader of the revolutionists, and his secretary.

Former Queen Liliuokalani of Ha-wall sailed for Honolulu after unsuc-cessfully pressing at Washington her claims against the United States gov-ernment for compensation for crown

The Alaska Steamship Company's steamer Farralon, which went on a reef in Cook inlet January 12, has gone to pieces. Five men who had sheen standing by the wreck reached the shore in small boats.

Increases of Three Cents an Hour to switchmen and five dollars a month to switch tenders and tower men affiliat-ed with the Switchmen's unlop of North America, were granted by the federal arbitration board, sitting in Chicago,

### MAJOR GENERAL BELL

INJURED IN AUTO ACCIDENT Rib Broken, Scalp Wounds, No Internal Injuries-Wife of Major Slocum, U. S. A., Killed.

Washington, March 23.—Major Gen.
J. Franklin Bell, chief of staff of the
United States army, who was injured
today in an automobile sceident in
which Mrs. Herbert J. Slocum, wife of
Major Slocum, U. S. A., was killed,
was reported tonight to be resting comfortably. One of his ribs was broken
and he suffered some scalp wounds, but
no internal injuries have been discovered and no complications of any sort
have set in.

Major Slocum, who is a member of
the Seventh cavalry, and now stationed at Governors Island, N. Y., arrived
tonight with his sons, Jermane, who is
also at Governors Island, and Theodore, a student at Princeton university.
He was met at the train by Inspector
General Gariington, almost a lifelong
friend, and by Colonel Crowder of the
judge advocate's office, and Lieut.
Colonel Kean, an assistant to the surgeon general.

No further arrangements have been

general, further arrangements have made for the funeral of Mrs. Slocum her birth, Ossining, N. Y. Mr. and Mrs. Robinson, the latter a sister of Mrs. Slocum, and Miss Robinson of New York, also arrived here tonight.

Philadelphia, March 23.—With the decision of the state labor organizations not to declare a sympathetic strike and the return to work of many of the sympathetic strikers in this city, the situation has settled down to a question of endurance between the striking car men and the Philadelphia

striking car men and the Philadelphia Rapid Transit company.

The company has now all its lines in operation except the subway surface cars and a few other lines which are paralleled by cars in operation. Officials claim that 1,300 cars are in operation. The secretary of the street car men's union, however, insisted tonight that the greatest number of cars operated in a single day since the beginning of the strike was 660. He says that there are only 700 members of the Keystone union, the members of the strike was 660. He members of the keystone union, the members of the keystone union the members of the keystone union the members of the keystone union the members of the k ed strike breakers the company still needs 4,400 men.

The committee of ten, of the Central Labor union, which has been directing the general strike, in its statement tonight makes no reference to the collapse of the sympathetic strike, but says that it is assured that the company cannot hold out much longer.

IN HASTE TO CATCH A TRAIN. Man Jumped Out of Hotel Third Story

Binghamton, N. Y., March 22.—John Craft of North Blenheim, jumped from the third story window of a hotel in this city this evening thinking he was catching a train. He lay down on the bed to rest, intending to take a train from the city a little later. A train passing the hotel partially awakened him, and in his drowsy condition he imagined it was the train he was to take. He turned up and out of the take. He jumped up and out of the window in his haste. He was badly injured, but at the City hospital, where he was taken, it is thought he

Gayley Divorce Case Called in Nevada

District Court.

Reno Nev. March 23.—The suit for divorce brought some time ago by James Gayley, former second vice president of the United States Steel corporation, against Julia Garney Gayley, was called today in Judge Orr's department of the district court and occupied the entire day without being completed. Gayley was represented by his attorneys. Mrs. Gayley was on the witness stand nearly all day. She arrived in Reno last week, accompanied by her two daughters, Agnes and Florence, and her New York attorney, Latham E. Reed.

\$10,000 Gift to Springfield International Y. M. C. A. Training School.

Springfield, Mass., March 23.—Announcement of a gift of \$10,000 from Herbert L. Pratt of Brooklyn for the equipment of its new athletic field was made today in the meeting of the trustees of the International Y. M. C. A. Training school here. It was voted to name the field in knoor of Mr. Pratt. The new field will be devoted largely to the training of physical directors of playsrounds, colleges and Young Men's Christian associations. The field comprises 15 acres, seven of which are to be enclosed by a concrete fence.

## **Pugilist Johnson** In Tombs Cell

TEARFULLY DECLARES "THIS LOOKS LIKE A ROUGH DEAL,"

### RELEASED AFTER FIVE HOURS

Witnesses in Assault Case Failed to Appear-Johnson's Bail Raised from \$1,500 to \$5,000-Bond Furnished.

New York, March 23.—Jack Johnson, heavyweight champion of the prize ring, spent five hours today in a cell in the Tombs prison. Tonight he is free again, but he is in gloom for not only was he locked up for nearly half a day, but while dancing and singing in his cell a process server showed thrust the bars a summons and complaint in a suit for \$1,758 and costs. brought against him for the alleged repudiation of a theatrical contract to appear in Kansas.

Tears in Champion's Eves.

Tears in Champion's Eyes "This looks like a rough deal," said chason, as tears came to his eyes. "I

have come here on a court order and mow they take this action sgainst me." He was "served" notwithstand-ing his protests.

ing his protests.

Johnson is certainly geeting acquainted with the courts. He appeared today, grinning as usual, charged with beating one Norman Pinder, a negro one-half his size, in an uptown resort some weeks ago. Pinder at the time declined to buy a drink because he couldn't afford to buy "wine," and that, he added dolefully, was all that the present John Arthur Johnson would drink. With a reminiscent touch he recalled that there was a time when Johnson was glad to drink "suds out of a bucket."

The rest is contained in the charge of assault against the fighter.

Judge Couldn't See the Joke,

Judge Couldn't See the Joke. But Pinder and his witnesses failed to appear to press the case today and Judge Mulqueen of the court of general sessions was wroth. He was inclined

to think that the court was being made a joke of. Despite Johnson's plea that he hurried hither on an "18-hour train," he raised the big black's bail from \$1,500 to \$5,000. Friend Put Up Security.

Johnson's smile vanished like smoke

Unfortunately, he said, all the cash he had thanks to the lawyers, was \$2,500. Would the court accept that? The court decidedly would not, so the big prizefighter was led away to a cell where he remained until late this afternoon, when a friend you up as second ernoon, when a friend put up as se-curity property in Brooklyn, valued at \$12,000. Then Johnson was let

No Trace of Pinder. Though no trace of Pinder, his ac-cuser, had been found tonight, the case is set for 10.30 o'clock tomorrow

THE ROOSEVELT PARTY STARTS FOR CAIRO. Expects to Remain in the Egyptian

Capital for a Week. Luxor, Upper Egypt, March 28.— Colonel Roosevelt's departure from Luxor at 7 o'clock this evening was made the occasion of a great outpouring of residents and tourists. They cheered the ex-president as his train started for Cairo. The Egyptian capital will be reached tomorrow morning and Colonel Roosevelt and his party will remain in that city for nearly a

will remain in that city for nearly a week.

Preparations have been going on in Cairo for a royal reception to the distinguished American, and the khedive has announced that he will send a state carriage for Colonel Roosevelt to convey him to the palace. The plans include several dinners, a visit to the University of Egypt, where Colonel Roosevelt will deliver an address, a visit to the American mission, where he sympathetic strikers in this city, situation has settled down to a stion of endurance between the king car men and the Philadelphia id Transit company. The company has now all its lines in fation except the subway surface and a few other lines which are alleled by cars in operation. Officially, the company has now all its lines in sation except the subway surface and a few other lines which are alleled by cars in operation. Officially, the company has now all its lines in the subject of the Ballinger-Pinchot controversy and the departure of Gifford Pinchot, the deposed chief forester of the United States, for Europe, for the ostensible purpose of conferring with the former president, were brought to Colonel Roosevelt will deliver an address, a visit to the American mission, where he subway surface and a few other lines which are alleled by cars in operation. Officially, the company has now all its lines in the subject of the Ballinger-Pinchot controversy and the departure of Gifford Pinchot, the deposed chief forest-the ostensible purpose of conferring with the former president, were brought to Colonel Roosevelt will deliver an address, a visit to the American mission, where he will dedicate the new viris' college, and a thorough inspection of the many places of historic interest.

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New York, March 23.—"You are Colonel Roosevelt, and I have been sent by God to kill you," screamed Moses Marcus, a sixteen year old errand boy, today, as he attacked W. W. Chiveral, of Baltimore, on Broadway. The boy threatened immediate death to several pedestrians who came to Chiveral's rescue and continued his irrational talk after he was arrested.

Chiveral was not injured.

Young Marcus was taken to a hospital for observation. His father said he had been acting strangely of late.

Chauffeur Convicted of Manslaughter in Second Degree. in Second Degree.

New York, March 23.—Upon the testimony of George H. Callaghan, a 16 year old boy, John C Hanlon, a chauffeur, was convicted today of manslaughter in the second degree and was remanded for sentence. O'Hanlon's machine ran over and killed myoung woman last October and the chauffeur put on full speed in an attempt to escape. But Callaghan, who witnessed the tragedy, sprang on the ruming board and clung there despite O'Hanlon's blows, until a policeman interfered. The boy subsequently received a Carnegie hero medal for his act.

\$2,000 Damages. Danbury, Conn., March 23.—Suit was instituted today by Dominick O'Connor against the Danbury Hat Makers' association, which union, he alleges, has deprived him of employment. O'Connor, who was a member of the union during the last strike and received strike benefits, it is alleged, refused to pay his dues when the strike was over and the members of the union working at the Hawes Von Gal company plant refused to work with him, and a sit was a union shop he was obliged to quft work. He asks for \$2,000 damages.

Boston, March 23.—George W. Cole-man and Wilson H. Lockhart, who were indicted last week in connection with the detalcation in the National City bank of Cambridge, both pleaded not guilty when arraigned in the Unit-ed States district court here late to-day. Their trials will come later.

THREE MEN KILLED, SEVERAL WOUNDED

Wilmington, Del., March 23.—An exiting fight in which three men were killed occurred on a northbound Baltimore & Ohio railroad train today. It began at Newark, Del., and ended in this city. Several persons were wounded in the affray, which occurred at the Delaware avenue station here upon the arrival of the train at 5.17 o'clock. Firemen Turned Hose on Southerner.

Travel over the Baltimore and Ohio railroad was also at a standstill. When-the battle had lasted about an hour the police realized that they would be unable to drive the man from cover, and a call was sent to a local fire company near by. The firemen responded with their engine. Attaching a high pressure hose to a fire plug and with the firemen barricaded behind trucks and boards, a stream of water was played upon the windows of the toilet room. The Dead.

Wounded.

Revolver. The police called upon Bethea to surrender. In answer he opened the door of the toilet room a short distance and fired upon the police and the crowd with an automatic revolver.

HULK OF BATTLESHIP MAINE

Bill Passed House Yesterday—Two Hours' Discussion. Washington, March 23.—The hulk of the ill-fated battleship Maine, sunk in the harbor of Havana, will be raised so that the remains of any of the sailor dead that may be within the wreck may be recovered and so that an examination may be made to determine if possible the manner in which the vessel was destroyed, if the senate approves a bill passed by the house to-tiay.

The remains of sailors that might be recovered would be interred in Arlington cemetery, on the Virginia shore, opposite Washington. The mast of the Maine would be erected in the cemetery near the graves of the Maine

For two hours republicans and democrate spoke in favor of removing the wreck from Havana harbor.

As passed by the house the bill was changed in its general terms so as to authorize the work to be done under the direction of the engineer corps of the army, with the consent of the republic of Cuba.

On the insistence of Mr. Sulzar of New York, the bill was worded to require the "raising" as well as the "removal" of the wreck, so that an examination could be made of the hulk to determine the manner of the vessel's destruction.

tration Railroad Bill.

Washington, March 23.—When the administration railroad bill was taken up by the senate today Senator Elkins said that as no one was prepared to speak on the bill he would ask to have it temporarily laid aside. He said that he would not again call up the measure until after the disposal of the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill, which would come up tomorrow, but after the passage of that bill he would request senators to either proceed with the discussion of the railroad bill or consent to a time for a vote on it.

Wilkesbarre, Pa. March 23.—After being in session nearly all day the executive council of the State Federation of Labor came to the conclusion that it would be inopportune to call a statewide strike to aid the striking street car men in Philadelphia. This decision was reached unanimously and it is said to have been hastened by the action of the textile workers of Philadelphia, who went out on a sympathetic strike and last night voted to return to work. Dropping Mail.

Washington March 23.—By a device invented by an lowa man and approved by the postmaster general today, mail will be taken up on moving trains and delivered at many places where fast trains do not stop. The adoption of the device marks an important step in the movement to equip all railroad lines with it. The new device takes on or discharges mail safely without langer of throwing the sacks under the wheel and destroying them, or designed to train. New Train Device for Picking Up and

to pay the costs.

Wiley, the park guard, and Haley are not seriously injured. They were both struck by stray bullets fired by Bethea.

DEATH OF DANIEL E. FINN. Widely Known by Nickname "Battery Dan," the Lenient Magistrate.

and had not been on the bench for several months.

"Battery Dau" pursued many callings, being a longshoreman and a saloonkeeper in his younger days, and after wards a member of the state asembly, a deputy sheriff and a municipal court judge. In 1905 Mayor McClelian appointed him a member of the board of magistrates. He was a vetesan of the civil war.

As magistrate he was always lenient toward "drunks" and men "down and out," and he incurred the enfity of General Bingham, former police commissioner, by dismissing a majority of excise cases brought before him.

Proceedings for his removal as a magistate were begun by the state excise department last February on charges that he showed an unjust hostility to the enforcement of the liquor tax law. He was at that time suffering from a nervous breakdown, from which he never recovered. He received his nickname "Battery Dan" as the Tammany leader of the district embracing the Battery. He was 64 years old and a native of Ireland.

READY FOR FUTURE MOBS.

The local associations of pountry dealers are named, chief of which is the New York Live Poultry Commission Merchants' Protective association, credited with the control of 90 per cent. of the live poultry trade of the greater city. The association was formed in 1906.

Nearly ninety defendants are named in three blanket indictments, and all will be arraigned in the criminal branch of the supreme court tomorrow, with William Travers Jerome former district attorney, as counsel.

The investigation is an outgrowth of the general complaint against the high price of foodstuffs, but the violation of no federal statutes is involved in the proceedings.

Besides the indictment of the guilty dealers, the city has begun a crusade against short weights. Eighteen in spectors, armed with carefully adjusted scales, are making the rounds of wholesale and retail stores and peddlers' stands.

In holding a peddler for trial today, who was arrested for selling twelve ounces of grapes for a pound, the magistrate said: "Giving of short weights

Cairo, Ohio, March 23.—The Alexander county board of supervisors decided today to buy at once for the county jail twelve repeating rifles, known as riot guns. Chains and locks for the iron fence about the courthouse and for the doors and windows of the building also were ordered.

The jail has been attacked twice within the last year by mobs, one attack resulting in the lynching of two prisoners, and the other in the death of one member of the mob and injury of several others by the sheriff's depu-